

# Key Financial Indicators for Spa Success

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### The Challenges





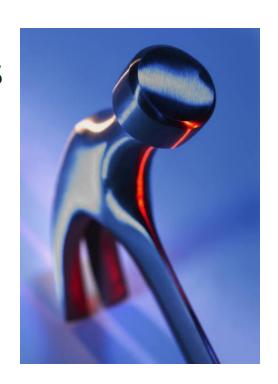
- Low barrier to entry for beauty industry
- Lack of business training in beauty school
- Collection of small, owner-operated, noncollaborative businesses



#### Financial Tools



- Income Statement
  - □ Dept. specific payroll & tx costs
  - □ Chart of Accounts
- Modernized compensation plan
- Ratios and benchmarks







### Spa Income Model

- Sales of services
  - □ COGS service labor
  - COGS treatment supplies



- Sales of retail products
  - □ COGS retail commission
  - COGS cost of purchasing retail





### Simplified example:

Total Revenues	\$ 2,126,433.11	100
Total Cost of Sales	\$ 1,021,160.53	48%
<b>Gross Profit</b>	\$ 1,105,272.58	52%
Total Expenses	\$ 1,373,510.31	65%
Net Income	\$ (268,237.73)	-13%



#### More Detail



Total Service Sales	\$ 1,618,523.04	
Total Retail Sales	\$ 404,711.66	
Sales- Gift C.	\$ 267,129.83	13%
Events Income	\$ 5,892.84	0%
Interest Income		0%
Sales - Tax Discounts	\$ -	0%
Other Income	\$ 39.91	0%
Gift Cards Redeem	\$ (169,864.17)	-7.99%
Total Revenues	\$ 2,126,433.11	100
Cost of Goods Sold		
Total Tech Svc Labor	\$ 560,147.53	35%
Supplies Back Bar Total	\$ 144,070.55	9%
COGS Retail	\$ 135,881.26	34%
Product Sales Commissions	\$ 56,659.63	3%
Tech Labor Payroll Taxes	\$ 55,512.65	10%
Merchant Fees	\$ 68,888.91	3%
Total Cost of Sales	\$ 1,021,160.53	48%
<b>Gross Profit</b>	\$ 1,105,272.58	52%



# Chart of Accounts - Services



- Esthetics
  - Waxing, Mkp, Spray Tan
- Massage
  - Body Tx
- Nails
- Medical
- Hair





# Chart of Accounts - Products



- Esthetics Prof
- Mass & Body Prof
- Nails Prof
- Makeup Prof
- Medical Prof
- Hair Prof
- Miscellaneous

- Esthetics Retail
- Mass & Body Ret
- Nails Ret
- Makeup Retail
- Medical Retail
- Hair Retail

Revenues			Cost of Goods Sold			
Sales Returns/Allowances	\$ (576.00)	0%	COS - Esthetics	\$	147,106.83	14%
Service Sales - Dental	\$ 7,226.88	0.34%	COS - Hair	\$	134,205.28	13%
Service Sales - Esthetic	\$ 382,167.29	18%	COS - Makeup	\$	9,702.68	13%
Service Sales - Hair	\$ 359,510.50	17%	COS - Massage	\$	164,003.28	16%
Service Sales - Makeup	\$ 14,256.00	1%	COS - Medical	\$	12,507.27	1%
Service Sales - Massage	\$ 506,761.50	24%	COS - Nails	\$	92,622.19	9%
Service Sales - Medical	\$ 64,206.27	3%	Total Tech Svc Labor	\$	560,147.53	55%
Service Sales - Nail	\$ 280,730.60	13%				
Sales - Tanning	\$ 4,240.00	0%	Supplies - Esthetics	\$	30,573.38	3%
Total Service Sales	\$ 1,618,523.04	76%	Supplies - Hair	\$	32,355.95	3%
			Supplies - Makeup	\$	285.12	0%
Retail - Boutique	\$ 120,203.66	6%	Supplies - Massage	\$	15,202.85	1%
Retail - Esthetics	\$ 165,422.00	8%	Supplies - Medical	\$	46,002.11	5%
Retail - Hair	\$ 47,815.00	2%	Supplies - Nail	\$	19,651.14	2%
Retail - Makeup	\$ 24,991.00	1%	Supplies Back Bar Total	\$	144,070.55	14%
Retail - Massage	\$ 18,396.00	1%				
Retail - Nail	\$ 27,884.00	1%	COGS Ret Esthetics	\$	46,318.16	5%
Total Retail Sales	\$ 404,711.66	19%	COGS Ret Hair	\$	23,907.50	2%
			COGS Ret Makeup	\$	5,498.02	1%
Sales- Gift C.	\$ 267,129.83	13%	COGS Ret Massage	\$	9,198.00	1%
Events Income	\$ 5,892.84	0%	COGS Ret Nail	\$	11,153.60	1%
Interest Income			COGS Ret Boutique	\$	39,805.98	4%
Sales - Tax Discounts	\$ -	0%	COGS Retail Total	\$	135,881.26	13%
Other Income	\$ 39.91	0%				
Gift Cards Redeem	\$ (169,864.17)	-7.99%	<b>Product Sales Commission</b>	\$	56,659.63	6%
Total Revenues	\$ 2,126,433.11	100	Tech Labor Payroll Taxes	\$	55,512.65	5%
			Merchant Fees	\$	68,888.91	7%
%'s of Total Rever	nues & Total Costs		Total Cost of Sales	\$1	,021,160.53	48%
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# Skin Department Analysis



Esthetic Dept Revenue	\$ 547,589.29	
Labor - Esthetic Department	\$ 171,920.13	31%
Supplies - Esthetics	\$ 80,199.98	
<b>Esthetic Dept Gross Profit</b>	\$ 295,469.17	54%
Service Sales - Esthetic	\$ 382,167.29	
Service Labor - Esthetic	\$ 147,106.83	
Back Bar - Esthetics	\$ 30,573.38	
<b>Service Gross Profit - Esthetics</b>	\$ 204,487.07	54%
Retail Sales - Esthetics	\$ 165,422.00	
Retail Commission - Esthetics	\$ 24,813.30	
COGS Retail - Esthetics	\$ 49,626.60	
Retail Gross Profit - Esthetics	\$ 90,982.10	55%



# Hair Department Analysis



Hair Dept Revenue	\$ 407,325.50	
Labor - Hair	\$ 138,986.78	34%
Supplies - Hair	\$ 56,263.45	
Hair Dept Gross Profit	\$ 212,075.28	52%
Service Sales - Hair	\$ 359,510.50	
Service Labor - Hair	\$ 134,205.28	
Back Bar - Hair	\$ 32,355.95	
Service Gross Profit - Hair	\$ 192,949.28	54%
Retail Sales - Hair	\$ 47,815.00	
Retail Comm - Hair	\$ 4,781.50	
COGS Retail - Hair	\$ 23,907.50	
Retail Gross Profit - Hair	\$ 19,126.00	40%



# Revenue per Square Foot



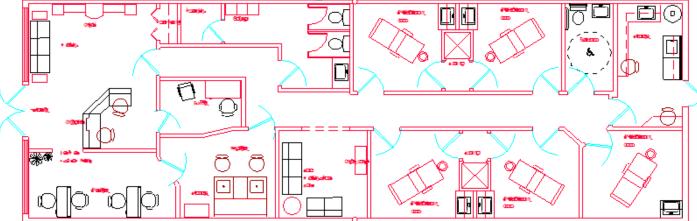
- 14k square foot facility
- 9 treatment rooms 5 esthetics, 4 mass
- 10 pedicure, 5 manicure
- 8 hair cutting, 4 hair color
- Mens & Women's locker rooms
- Quiet lounge, transition area, retail





### Overall Rev/Sq Foot

\$2.2m year/14,000 sq ft = \$151/ square foot





### Sq Ft Dept Breakdowns



■ Hair Dept

Esthetics

Mass & Body ft

Nails ft 2000 sq ft

1100 sq ft

900 sq

1200 sq







Department	Annual Svc \$		Sq Ft	Svo	c \$/Sq Ft
Hair	\$	359,510.50	2000	\$	179.76
Esthetics	\$	382,167.29	1100	\$	347.42
Massage & Body	\$	506,761.50	900	\$	563.07
Nails	\$	280,730.60	1200	\$	233.94



# Total Sales/Sq Ft by Department



Department	Svc + Ret	Sq Ft	Svo	\$/SqFt	Total	\$/Sq Ft
Hair	\$ 407,325.50	2000	\$	179.76	\$	203.66
Esthetics	\$ 547,589.29	1100	\$	347.42	\$	497.81
Massage & Body	\$ 525,157.50	900	\$	563.07	\$	583.51
Nails	\$ 308,614.60	1200	\$	233.94	\$	257.18





# **Support Detail**

<b>Support Compensation</b>			
Payroll - Concierges	\$	157,581.87	38%
Payroll - Fees	\$	2,336.36	1%
Payroll - Management Salaries	\$	123,004.18	30%
Payroll - Support Taxes	\$	25,252.74	6%
Insurance - Employee Benefits	\$	31,466.67	8%
Insurance - Business	\$	50,716.77	12%
Insurance - Life	\$	1,195.00	0%
Insurance - Workmans Comp	\$	18,652.08	5%
	\$	410,205.67	19.29%
	of total rev		





#### **Controlling COGS**

- Labor is your single cost of doing business
- The wrong compensation plan will enrich your staff and put you out of business







### Leverage point - COGS

- Labor Your largest expense
  - □Technical Staff
  - □Hourly Staff



- Management/Salaried Staff
- □Taxes & Benefits



### Common comp methods



- Straight or Graduated Commission
- Hourly + Commission
- Hourly + Incentive or Bonus
- Treatment rate/fee for service
- Independent contractors
- Booth rental



# Commission: The most common form of comp PROS:



- Easy to manage, simple to understand
- You don't have to pay people unless there's a sale
- Encourages higher sales by techs
- Typical range: 40-60% of service, 10% retail



#### Commission - cont'd



#### **CONS:**

- Forces clients to pay higher prices
- Only source of pay increases except higher volume or bigger cut
- Prices increases are automatically shared
- Does not reward teamwork
- Connects what client pays to what tech earns



### Sample Treatment Rates



60 minute services		BRONZE LEVEL: 0-1 yr 30% mass, 28% esty	SILVER LEVEL: 1-3 yrs 32% mass, 30% esty	GOLD LEVEL: 3-5 yrs 34% mass, 3 2% esty	PLATINUM LEVEL:5+ yrs 36% mass, 34% esty
Classic Mass	\$85	\$25.50	\$27.20	\$28.90	\$30.60
Deep Tissue	\$95	n/a	\$30.40	\$32.30	\$34.20
Classic Facial	\$85	\$21.00	\$24.00	\$27.20	\$28.90
Micrdrm Trtmt – 45 min	\$105	n/a	\$24.70	\$29.40	\$31.50

### **Expense Ratios**



Professional inventory costs, by department

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5-8%

Nails

4%

Massage/Body

1 - 2%

Makeup

1%

Hair

6-7%





#### Expense Ratios — cont'd



- Rent & Utilities
- Advertising & Marketing
- Contribution to burden
- Cleaning, Repairs & Maintenance
- Training & Education
- PROFIT!

# REALITY CHECK: Spa LaLa, an upscale spa salon



**SERVICE SALE: "BEFORE"** 

- \$100 Spa LaLa Signature Facial
- (\$50) Commission Cost of Sale
  - (\$5) Payroll burden (10% of payroll minimum)
  - (\$7) Product Cost (varies with type of service)
  - \$38 GROSS PROFIT (Cost of Sales: 68%, GPM 32%)
  - \$40 Spa Overhead Expense\* (40%)
  - (\$2) PROFIT/LOSS





### Look at the big picture

- Average day spa 40% overhead expense
- Support staff 10-12%
- Profit 5%
- 45% left to pay technicians (includes taxes & benefits)



#### Revenue Ratios



- Average ticket for spa or salon
  - Service \$ + Retail \$ / number of
    clients
- Average ticket for operator
- \$ per hour per station
- \$ sales per square foot





# Ways to affect average ticket . . .



- Upsell client to higher priced service
- Add micro treatments to original service
- Retail
- All 3!





#### Revenue Ratios cont'd

- Utilization/Productivity rates
- Property Occupancy rates
- Retention vs Request
- Capture Rates
- Hotel ADR





#### Recommended Retail Ratios



#### Retail % of Service Sales

#### Day Spa

- Hair 10-15%
- Skincare 35-50 %
- Massage/Body 1-5%
- Nails 5-15%
- Cosmetics 40-100%
- Gift 10-40%

#### Resort Spa

- Hair 5-10%
- Skincare 15-30%
- Massage/Bdy 0-5%
- Nails 0-10%
- Cosmetics 25-50%
- Gift 5-15%



#### Where to Start?



- Is each workstation staffed for maximum productivity?
- Do operating hours reflect demand?
- Is there an inventory management program in place?
- Is there a retail sales program in place?





#### Where to Start?



- Does your compensation plan drive the right behaviors?
- Are your ratios aligned with benchmarks?
- Does your menu reflect an ability to upsell and increase average tickets?
- Are your performance appraisals tied to financial behaviors?



#### **Key Financial Indicators**



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